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Year	No. of persons arrested	No. of persons challanecl	No. of persons convicted
1999	1225		1193
1990	2066		760
1991 (upto 31-1-1991)			57

Migration of people from Punjab and Kashmir

263. SHRI BAL RAM SINGH YADAVA:
DR. JINENDRA KUMAR JAIN:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that due to insecurity of their lives, a large number of people from Punjab and Kashmir have been forced to leave their homes and settle in other parts of the country;

(b) if so, what is the total number of people, separately, who have been compelled to migrate from their houses in Punjab and Jammu and Kashmir till December, 1990 and whether Government have made any arrangements to protect their lives; and

(c) if so, what is the total amount of expenditure Government had to incur on these arrangemnets upto December, 1990 during the current financial year ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI SUBODH KANT SAHAY): (a) Yes, Sir. Some migration has taken place.

(b) and (c) Detailed information in this regard is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Drive to remove unemployment in border areas of Punjab

264. SHRI RAM JETHMALANI:
SARDAR JAGJIT SINGH AURORA:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased fo state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a special drive was launched during the past few years in border areas of Punjab to remove unemployment there;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof;

(c) what is the number of youths seeking employment in these border areas; and

(d) what is the number of youths provided with employment so far under this drive?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN 1 HP-MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WELFARE (SHRI RAMJI LAL SUMAN): (a) to (d) A scheme for absorption of border area youth has been started and has been named as Centre for Plaining and Employment of Border Youth". A total of 10,000 youth is expected to be selected to undergo training. Thereafter, the selected and. trained youth will be absorbed in various Goveinment/Semi-Government jobs or imparted training for taking up self-employment.